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Schedule of events for Peacekeeper Challenge '97

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KIRTLAND AIR FORCE BASE, N.M. – Kirtland will host the 16th Peacekeeper Challenge starting with opening ceremonies Sunday afternoon. The competition runs through Sept. 20. There will be five separate opportunities for media to get photos or video footage.

The physical fitness challenge (confidence course) runs Monday from 8:30 to 11:20 a.m. The final times for the hand gun event will be Wednesday from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Central Training Academy's range on base.

The combat rifle and machine gun events will run simultaneously Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The M-203 Grenade Launcher event is also Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Finally, the individual confidence course, also known as the Chief's Challenge, will be Sept. 20 from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

Any media wishing to cover any or all of these events should contact Senior Airman Paul Gritton at (505) 846-4238 or 5991. Over the weekend or after duty hours, contact the Kirtland Command Post at 846-6432. Ask for the on-call public affairs representative.